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To the World by Dr. Chamberlen, for Childdrens TEETH: Women in Labour: And Diftempers of the Head. Published by reason of the great increase of late Years in the Bills of Mortality, by which it appears that in and about London, (the same may be said of Paris, or any other great City, above 12000 Children have Yearly Died of their TEETH, and Convulsions and Fevers caused thereby: Besides the great Numbers of Women that are Daily Lost in Child-bed: And the Multitudes of Persons that Dye of Distempers of the Head.

In this ESSAY therefore is clearly shewed from the Principles of the New Philosophy, how by the Wearing only of this NECKLACE Children will easily Breed and Cut their Teeth, without any Pain, Convulsions, or Fever at all: Women in Labour be Easily, Presently, and Safely Delivered: And most Distempers of the Head Cured without ever taking in any thing at the Mouth.

Dedicated to Dr. CHAMBERLEN, and the ROYAL SOCIETY.

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## Dr. Paul Chamberlen.

Honoured Sir,



OU having been pleased on the 26th of Nov. 1715. to order me to let the World know expresly from YOU, and in YOUR NAME, that You Absolutely Approve of and Advise the

Approve of, and Advise the Wearing of the hereafter mentioned NECK-LACE, To all Children for the Easy Breeding, and Cutting of their Teeth: To all Women in Labour: And to all Persons who have any Ailment in any Part belonging to their Head: Declaring to me at the same time that You heartily wished that all such would wear it, You being throly convinced of its Wonderful and Surpriseing Anodyne Virtues, from a long Experience

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which You was pleased to own to me that You had had of it, Acknowledging to me that You You self had used it for many Years, and always with Success, for these just now mention'd Ends: I most willingly lay hold of this Occasion to inform the World of the great Value and Esteem You are pleased to have for it, and which still appears the more by the large Approbation which You was pleased afterwards to give of it, at Your own House on the 13th of Sept. 1716. with Your Leave to Publish it to the World.





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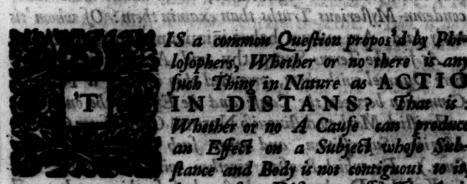
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which they called by the obscure Names of Sympathy and Antipathy. — Some more modern Authors not well con-ten with these Terms, attributed these Effects to Superstition, Charms and Magick: Because not seeing any gross and visible Connexion between the Cause and the Effect, they presently asserted that there was none at all. And 'tis purely on this Account as Mr. Boyle takes notice in his 5th Eflay of Experimental and Natural Philosophy, that Persons are wont to reject the use of such Remedies as seem to work after a secret and unknown Manner, and not by any visible Operation: For not perceiving how the promised Effects can well be produced by Remedies that must Work after so peculiar and undiscerned a Manner; they cry out against it as altogether improbable. Now this Argues a great Ignorance in the Understanding, so to confine all the Actions of Nature to the groffness of our Senses, as to imagin Superstition presently before we have sufficiently examined the true Causes and Principles upon which our Judgments ought to depend: Whereas according to true Philosophy there is no Superstition at all in these Effects, as bereaster shall be clearly shewed, untels Superstitious Persons themselves create it, by attributing the Effects to other Causes than the true ones; from their Ignorance, which makes them rather condemn Mysterious Truths than examin them: Of whom'tis eruly said, Ars nullum habet inimicum nifi imorantem As for the Terms Sympathy and Antipathy, I'll wo here Quarrel with them, provided they include a Natural Connexion between the Cause and the Esfect (the only Charasteristick Mark to distinguish Natural Causes from Charas, Magick, Superstition, and other Such unlawful Ways of Cure.) For which Reason, together with Mr. Boyle, and Sir Kenelm Dygby, I understand those things only to all by Sympathy and Antipathy, which by a mutual Efflux of Atoms and Subtle Effluvia's, do so Act and Re-act on each ether, as to have a reciprocal Communication for each others mutual Preservation or Destruction. So that notwithstanddoider

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likely one, yet in confideration of those reputable Authors that assure us of their having been Eye-witnesses to these sorts of Cures, the Method ought rather farther to be examined into (in order to its Improvement) than despised: For which Reason the great Dr. Harvey, as rigid a Naturalist us be was, frequently tried this way of Curing; and as Mr. Boyle tells us, often cured Tumors and Swellings, by strocking them with the Hand of a Dead Man; which every one will grant to be a Sympathetick Cure. And not to infift only on this Practice of Dr. Harvey, he expressly says that within the Compass of his own Knowledge, he could ment in several eminent Physicians that have both used and recommended these sort of Sympathetick and APPENDED Remedies.

Nor (as the same Mr. Boyle says) does the great Objection against these sorts of Cures, viz. that such or such a Person having ONCE made tryal of them, found them by chance not to succeed, Jeem alone of Weight enough alsogether to reject them; because if they do Most commonly succeed, tho' sometimes they may chance to fail, yet that Probability of their succeeding, is a sufficient Motive to any one for a Tryal; because if they do not succeed, they CAN do no hurt, Nihil, therefore tentare nocebit. Nor is any Person desired so to Pin their Faith on the hereafter-mentioned Necklace, as to think it excludes other Helps: No, by no means; use what you will besides, and still 'twill be so much the better. Vis unita is always fortior, being Two Strings to the Bow. So that there feems no reason why it should be more required of those Remedies that operate at a Distance, that they should ALWAYS Cure, than it is required of vulgar Remedies that they should NEVER fail; and from which we might more reasonably require a constant Success, because of their being Inwardly Given. For which Reason in the Printed Directions for Wearing this Necklace, which are given along with it, I have exprefly

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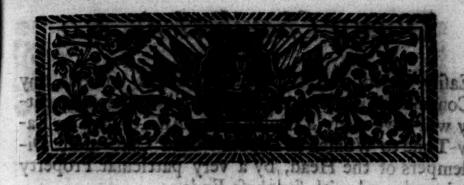
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But when all's done, there can no Argument be brought for the Trial of this Necklace, so great and commincing as the Matter of Fact will be when 'tis once worn; (as daily Experience (bews) to wit, that by Putting it only about a Child's Neck, those Teeth shall in a Nights time easily and pleasantly Cut, which before nothing but an Incifion Knife cou'd bring out, and thereby Prevent and Cure Fevers, Fits, Convulsions, &c. And fave many a Childs Life. Besides several other it's wonderful Effects; as on Women in Labour: On Sore, Weak, and Red Eyes, Touth-achs, Head achs, Vapours, Sore Throas, Hoarfness, Cramps, Fits, Convulfions, Palfies, Falling Sickness, Apoplexies, Hardness and Difficulty of Hearing, &c. of which more at large bereafter in the sequel of this ESSAY.

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PAUL CHAMBERLEN, DE in Phyfick do hereby testifie to all Perfons whom this may concern, that I entirely Approve of, Advise, and Recommend to the World the use of the hereafter mentioned NECKLACE ( which has been Published now for a

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long time with a constant and uninterupted Success) as the very Best in my Opinion that has ever been known, published, or made use of, for the Easy Breeding and Cutting of Childrens TEETH Women in Labour : And Distempers of the Head? And whose Virtues are ingeniously Explicated in the

ESSAY writ upon it.

My Judgment therefore, Opinion and Advice is, that Persons in those Circumstances, can use no Better, Safer, and withat more Effectual Remedy in the whole Compass of Physick, then this, whose Use I hereby Advise to all Patients: Because I am fully convinced that this NECKLACE is the molt Capable and Effectual Remedy in the World to Strengthen and Open the ALVEOLI or Sockets of the Gums in Children, and thereby make them Eafily

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Easily Breed, and Cut their TEETH without any Convulsions, Fevers, or Pain at all, and consequently will save many a Childs Life: Also to give an Easily Time to Women in Labour: And Cure most Distempers of the Head, by a very particular Property it is endowed with for these Ends.

For which Reason I Recommend to every Person's serious perusal before they use it, that most Excellent little Treatise which the Ingenious and Learned Au-

thor has writ upon it. Entituled

A Philosophical Essay upon This Admirable NECK-LACE.

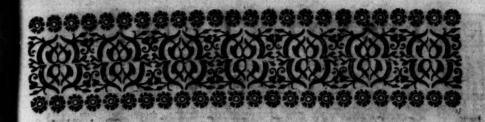
And to satisfie the World that is my real Sentiment, Opinion, and Advice; I do here own that I my felf have not only now for a long Time in my Practice made use of this very same NECKLACE, but also continue still so to do; and that Always with so much the greater Pleasure and Satisfaction of Mind, because I Experience it to be Safe, Certain, and Effectual, entirely Answering the Ends for which it is proposed. This being that great Secret which former Ages have continually been endeavouring to find out, but never did: And therefore for want of it our Forefathers were obliged to prolong very much their Cures, by going round about the Bush. But what must we say? The time of it's Discovery was not yet come. It was defigned only for this lucky Author, who happily has here Hit upon it. And moreover I my felf constantly wear one on each Leg by way of Garters for the Cramp, which for many Years before I wore them I was grievously afflicted with; and for which I also Recommend it.

As Witness my Hand this 13th of Sept. 1716.

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HE Word sympathy is derived from the Greek Word our simul & wall passes; by which is signified a Relative Property, consisting in a natural Com-Possion, Concent, Concord, Congruity, Affection, Harmony, and Agreement between Bodies. Now that there is such a Congruity in Nature, is evident in a great many uncontestable Matters of Fact. But to

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In order therefore to explicate more clearly the Effect of Sympothesisk and Appended Remedies, we must here him one one properly Low of Nature, settled by that great Philosopher Sir Isaac Newton, as an Essential Requisite to all those Actions which proceed from Causes at a Distance from the Subjects on which they produce their Essets and which must necessarily be premised to the following Eslay; which is this: That out of the Pores of ALL Bodies what soever, tho never so hard and solid, there is more or less a constant Emission and Exhalation of Subtle Steams and Atoms. The Truth of which (to use no other example) appears from nothing in the World to clear, manifelt & evident, as the Sense of SMELLING; by which every one daily experiences Bodies at a DISTANCE, to emit and fend forth more or less vast quantities of these just now mentioned Steams, Atoms, and Effluoias. Which if grateful and pleasant, as from odoriferous Bodies, Recreate our Senies But if disagreable, or dangerous, as from Stinking and Infectious ones, they are with utmost care avoided. For which reason in time of a Plague even the Best of Cloths and Household Goods are frequently Burnt, for fear of communicating those Infectious Atoms with which they are impregnated. Tis from hence that Gloves and other things having once been perfumed, will for a long time after, at a Distance, emit Sweet Effluvias and Atoms to our Smell: And that Dogs will purfue the Steps of a Man or their Game many Miles, on will fetch any thing their Master has only once laid his Hand on, altho in a Heap of things of the same kind: Because the Atoms remaining on the Footsteps or Thing once touched, are fo fure a Guide to the Creature, that if he happens to lose the Scent, he presently holds his Nose up in the Air, to catch the wandring Atoms again.

These Atoms being of different Figures, Shapes and Sizes, proportionable to the different Figures, Shapes and Sizes of Pores; have always a greater Tendency and Inclination to such Pores as they are proportion'd to, rather then any others; and and therefore Rest no where so willingly as in them: So that What is commonly called Sympathy and Antipothy, is nothing else but this natural Tendency and Inclination, Abborrence and Aversion to this Proportion or Disproportion between the Atoms and Pores of such Bodies as at a distance mutually Ast and Re-ast on

each other.

This Law of Nature being thus established, all those Effects usually attributed to Sympathetick & Appended Remedies, & by consequence to this Necklace, will appear entirely evident and demonstrable.

Appended Remedies therefore are those, which without ever entering into the Stomach, or any Immediate Application to the

the ailing Part, but in a manner at some DISTANCE from it, cure Distempers by a secret Emission of Volatil subtle Steams, Atoms & Effluvia's. Such are all Remedies Hung about the Neck, as NECKLACES and Amulets: All Remedies applied to. or hung about the Arms, Wrists, Fingers, or any other part of the Body, as Physical Bracelets, Rings, Girdles, Stomachers, and all other fuch Remedies whatfoever, either to be HUNG or carried about one, or to be kept near one, without ever entring into the Stomach, or any Immediate Application to the ailing Part. Of fuch Remedies as these, several learned Physicians, and particularly Mr. Boyle, Sir Kenelm Digby, The Lear-ned Verulam, Dr. Harvey, Paracelfus, Van Helmont, Willis, Rihave treated, calling 'em by the general Name of Appenda, or APPENDED Remedies; shewing from unquestionable Matters of Fact, their Efficacy in great Numbers of Cures, & to most of which they declare to have been Eye-witnesses. Several of which Cures are as follows. \_\_\_ So that wheever despises this NECKLACE, as an Improbable and Unlikely Method of Cure in the Cafes for which 'tis here proposed, at the same time also despiles the Judgments, and Opinions of these just now mentioned Great Learned Men. For as that Great Naturalist Mr Boyle fays, in his 5th Essay on Natural and Experimental Philosophy above cited: That such invisible Corpuscules and Atoms may pass from Remedies Hung only about the Neck, into the Body of the Person who wears them, and there produce great Changes, will scarce seem improbable to any one, that considers how Perspirable according to Hippocrater all Bo-dies are: And to confirm this Doctrine he makes use of two obvious Examples drawn from Amber and the Load-stone, which (fays he) every one knows, will emit and fend forth fuch a vast quantity of Magnetick Corpuscules and Effluvias, as to draw violently to themselves, Iron, Hairs, Straws, and other fuch Bodies: But to proceed to other Examples of this Nature.

Of the Blood-stone Monardes cited by Mr. Boyle, says those Words; Vidimus sanguinis sturu afflictor remediam sensisse, Annalos ex hoc lapide confector in digito continue GESTANDO; quippe qui sanguinem stuentem illicò sistit. And the same Author speaking of another Medicirlal Stone to be Worn only about the Neck against Fits, says expressy that si solummodo Gestant, subito levantur, & nunquam simili morbo corripiuntur. Van Helmont and Paracellus with a Ring made of certain Metal, and WORN only on the Finger, cured several Distempers, of which the latter thus speaks: Cam bona veritatis conscientia attestari possumus, hajus generis Annulos quos qui INDUIT; Hune nec Spasmus convulsit,

nec Paralyfis corripuit, nec Dolor ullus torfit : Similiter nec Apoplenia, nec Epilepfia invafit. From which Words it plainly appears, that the WEARING only of thole Rings cured and preferved the Persons from those Dittempers. As the Wearing only alfo of the Celebrated Lapis Nephriticus gave cale to leveral violently afflicted with the Stone, related by the same Author. Van Helmont with a piece of the same Ring Hung only about a Child's Neck, cured it of a wasting pining Distemper. rues are frequently cured by Remedies Hung about the Neck, and Applications to the Wrifts, & Fingers. Beeting, cited by Mr. Boyle, cured a Person of a Bloody-flux they had had lix Years, by only Hanging a certain Remedy about their Neck. He cured Another of a Diabetes, by the Powder of a Toad Hung in a Bag about their Neck. Cramp-Rings by their Effluvia's keep of Stupefaction. A cold Key laid on the Neck ftops bleeding at the Noie. Calcin'd Vitriol, commonly call'd Syn pathetick-Powder, is known by almost every Body to cure Wounds at a Distance, by being mixed with any thingtinged with the Blood. And Mr Boyle tells us of a Gentleman that was cured of an Ulcer in his Bladder, by only mixing this Powder with some of the Matter that he voided with his Urine. He perfuaded him by these Words, That the Remedy was such, that if it had any Virtue, it might do him good; and if it had none, it cou'd not prejudice bim: Upon which the Gentleman made a trial and was cured. The fame Author after having writ a whole Book of the Poroulnels of Bodies, and the real Effluvia of Amulets, tells us also of a certain Remedy cited by Zwelfer which a great Phyfician in Moravia ordered Persons only to Wear about their Necks at a time when the Plague raged in the City where he lived: And of all those Persons who only WORE it, he pofitively affirms that Nulleu mortum eft: These are his own Words: And giving a Reason for it, says expresly That the invisible Particles flowing from the Remedy (hung thus about the Neck,) Miasmata & Effluvia Pestilentialia abarcebant.

Dr Chamberlen has often assured me that nothing is more common than to hang several sorts of Amulets about Women in Labour to help their Delivery, & give them an easy time: & of all the things that ever he knew of in the World, he declared to me that nothing in his Opinion can come near the hereaster mentioned Necklace for this end, as well as for Childrens Teeth, & Distempers of the Head. See the Dr's own words to me on this subject hereaster in the 5th Chapter. A piece of Sheet Lead is frequently Hung about Womens Necks to take away their Milk, or a Wen, or to help Sore Eyes. A piece of Gold is also Hung about the Neck of Persons afflicted with the Evil; which Gold, by its Alcalious Effluyia's, so acts on the

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Distemper, that if the Person missiontunately loses it, the Distemper returns, 'till they wear another Piece of Gold; this every one knows. Forester tells us That he knew Several Persons cured of violent flead achs, only by Hanging the Herb Persons about their Necks, after many other Remedies were used to no Purpose. Agreat many more instances of these kind of Gures might be here brought out of several other reputable Authors, but these are fully inflicient to prove the Truth of the Doctrine here afferted of the Real Existence of Associated Authors, between Asting & Reacting by a mutual Flux and Reservance, & their Asting & Reacting by a mutual Flux and Reservance, and thereby to shew what great Changes may be produced in a Human Body, without ever taking in any thing visibly at the Mouth.

And indeed as great a Proof as any already alledged of the Bower of Jubile Steams, Atoms and Effections From Bodies may be brought from the propagation of Infectious Dileafes, which being conveyed by intentible Effluvias from a Sick into a Healthy Body are able to diforder the whole Occonomy of it, and act those fad Tragedies which Phylicians do so often unfuccessfully endeavour to hinder.

To obviate therefore the common Objection of those Perfons who despite the use of these fort of Remedies, to that being but Externally Appended, they must be very una-ble to do any Good in Internal Difeases, especially such as are scated in Parts, remote from those which the Amulet or As pended Remedy is applied to, or supposed to Touch upon a Suspicion that such a Remedy cannot furnish the Body it does but externally touch, with any flore of Medicinal Pacies: I must here take Notice to my Reader, four of Boyle's Treatife of the Reconcileableness of Specifick Media cines with the Corpuscular Philosophy, Prop. 1.) that this Difficulty will be of but very little weight to any one the only confiders, the great fubrility, almost infinite mun and efficacy of Effluviums nor only in general, but den in particular, that flow out from some certain Bodies: As for Example: What plenty of invisible Particles sensible to the Nostrils are for a long time emitted from a small quantity of Amber-greece, Camphir, and other fuch odorous Bodies: and what a multitude of Magnetical Corpuscules, for many Years will constantly flow out from a small vigorous Load-stone, which were it possible to weigh them in one Aggregate would not exceed the hundreth part of a Grain. From which Examples it sufficiently appears, how possible it is, that even Dry, Hard, and Solid Bodies, should afford sufficient store of uvia, to cause very considerable Changes in so Curious, Soft,

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Soft, Tender, and Exquisitely fram'd an Engine as a Human Body is: And this more especially when we almost daily see that Quickfilver only Worn in a Girdle will, by it's Globular Huvia, Salivate. Cantharides, or Spanish Flies only carrid in the Pocket, will frequently transmit their hurtful Efuvia as far as the Bladder, and there excite great Pain, and many times a bloody Urine: Nay even the Odor only of Musk or Civet will speedily cast Persons into Fits: And on the contrary the Smell only of Alla-Fætida, Salt of Hartshorn. Sal Armoniack, or the like, will quickly relieve them.

all or veloces As to the Manner therefore how all these & such like Cures are performed, it will fufficiently appear by explicating the effect of the just-now-mentioned Amulets or Remedies to be Hung ahour the Neck: for the same Reason that is given for one, explains (for vota proportione) all the rest. When therefore any thing is Hung about the Neck by way of a Remedy, it is confiderably warm'd by the Neck of the Person, by which means its Atoms & Effluvia's are rarified, & confequently flow out in a greater Quantity: Flowing therefore out thus, all about the Neck & Head. they cannot fail meeting with the uneasy Atoms exhaled out of the ailing Part. The Atoms of each being thus Joined & united, they enter together by the fuction of the Air (which the ailing Part breaths out into the faid ailing Part; where finding the Original Source from whence the uneasy Atoms first came, ey naturally flay & flick there. Being thusentered, they prefently fearch into all the Glands, Corners, and Fibres of it, which hereby are comforted, eased, and imperceptably healed. Of which fee more in the IV Chapter. Where will more clearly be proposed the ways by which the hereafter mention'd NECKLACE has of lase performed to many great and furprifing Cureschiood to dianoldness on the editor I saled

with the Corp efcular Philosophy, free al that this But there still remains one famous Sympathetick Effect (And really matter of Fatt) to account for, to wit, the celebrated NOSE of Talicotine in Hudibras, of which in the following Chapter : A boll ninnes and most me well that name respective



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Of the Celebrated Sympathetick Nose of Talicotius, mentioned in the 1st Canto of the 1st Part of Hudibras, in these Verses.

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Lasted as long as Parent Breech:

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N the Year 1495, being the Year after the fatal Siege of Naples by the French, a certain Surgeon at Bolognis in Italy, by Name Togliccorza, (at that time Surgeon to the great Duke of Florence,) seeing his own Species extreamly disfigured by a certain Distemper that was crept into it, set up a Manufacture of NOSES. (A very seasonable Invention

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at that time) having first got a Patent that none should pre-

fume to make Notes besides himself. (Lacri bonne est adir se re Qualifier, lays Jovends) His first Patient was a Nobleman of Bressel, who being then at Ballenia, had the Missorthale to lose his Note. He went strait to this Surpeon to advale now he might have a new Note, and not willing to have his own Fight cut, hired a Porter, who for a Sum of Money (Anti faira fainte, Gara sen muratra pettina tight!) let him have a Note cut out of his Posteriori (UNDE babens querit steme, says Juvenal, sed oporter babere) which the Surgeon so well grafted on to the remaining part of the Gristle, that it would Blow, Sneeze, Smell, take Snuff, Cock, Toss, and Turn up, pronounce the Letters M or N; nay, even the Hebrew Letter Ginajin, and in short do all the Functions of a genuine and natural Nose.

The next Patient was a Spanish Don, whose Complexion being very much upon the Tawny, with very black Eyes & Eyes brows, and the Noie being taken from another Porter that not only had a very white Skin, but cut out of those Parts that are not exposed to the Sun; it was very visible that the Features of his Face were not Fellows: Now to remedy this Inconvenience for the future, the Doctor got together a great Collection of Porters, Men of all Complexions, Black, Brown, Ruddy, Fair, Dark, Tawny and Pale; so that it was impossible for a Patient of the most out of the way Colour, not to find a Nose to match it.

The Doctor's House was now become a kind of Hospital for the FASHIONABLE Cripples of both Sexes that resorted to him from all Parts of Europe, having a large Brazen Snout fast-ned over his Door. He is reported at one time to have had twenty French Marquisses, thirty German Counts, fifty Spanish & Portugueze Dons, three Irish Captains, and one English 'Squire that Travell'd in those Parts for foreign Accomplishments, of whom more hereafter. Now althouthe Doctor had the Monopoly of Noses in his own Hands, yet he was not at all unreasonable in his Price: Indeed if any one had occasion for a high Roman Nose, it was pretty dear; also a large Battle Nose bore a good Price; because, as Hudibras says, Th' intrinsict value of a Thing, it as much Money as twill bring. But as for your ordinary Bore Cocking sum of up Noses, of which there was the greatest Consomption, they came pretty easy to the Purchasers, especially considering that they would rather pay at any Rate for them than go without.

Now these infitious Noses were always affected with the Pain as well as Death of the Original Proprietor. An eminent

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whose Noses were all made of the same piece of Brawn. The Case was this: One Day they all three found their Noses to Twitch, Shoot, and Swell extreamly, upon which they sent presently to enquire how the Porter did, to whom they were now thus altied: Upon Enquiry they saind that the Parent of their Noses (to wit the Porter's Posteriors) had been that very Day severely kicked, and that he kept his Bed on Account of the Bruises he had received; So that in these Cases the Porters Led the Gentlemen entirely by the Nose, the Porters presently selt the effects of it; insomuel, that commonly an Agreement was made with the Patient, that Is should not be ly abstain from all his old Courses; but also that he should on no pretence what soever smell to Pepper, Ginger, Spirit of Harts horn, or Sal Armoniac, take Snuss, nor eat sorie-Radish, or Mustard; on which occasion presently the part where the incision had been made, was seized with into eather the Incision had been made, was seized with into eather the Princes, Prickings and Pains: And consequently the Porters, by these Contracts, Held the Gentlement Noses soles to the Grindbare.

The English' Squire abovemention'd, was so very irregular, and relapsed so frequently into the Distemper which at first carry'd off that part of his Face, and brought him to this Surgeon, that in less than four Years he wore out seven Noses; and by that means so termented the Porters, that if he wou'd have given a 1000 l. for a Nose, there was not one Porter of them all wou'd accommodate him; but ever after verified in himself that saying of Martial, Non cuicunque datum of balore Nasum: So that he was called l'Inglese chi ha haunto sette Nasi, the Englishman that had had seven Noses. (Risum tenestin Amici.)

The Doctor's first Patient, viz. The Nobleman of Brussels returned home, and about thirteen Months after he selt his Nose on a sudden to grow Cold, and within a sew Days it Rotted and sell quite off; at which being very much surprized, he made a strict enquiry into the Cause, and it was found that just at the same time that His Nose grew celd, the Porter, whose Name was Noque, at Bolognie died. This Passage is related by Van Helmont, and, as he says, was attested by a great many in his time living in Brussels; and is that of which Hudibras speaks, being seriously and without jokeing, Matter of Fact.

The Difficulty now remains to explicate how this could be. According therefore to the Law of Nature abovemention'd there was a perpetual Tendency and Inclination to each other, between the Atoms and Pores of the Porter's Body and the infi-

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tious Nose of the Nobleman, as still subordinate to the Porter, and terminated to him as to its Relation, Kin, and Whole, of whom it was notwithstanding its Separation and Distance as truly a Part as before Separation, and as much Respected, Regarded and Tended towards the Porter as to its WHOLE, as ever it did before: For it is always true to fay (being a Propolition, as the Logicians lay, Eterna Veritatis) that the infitious Nose was still a Part of the Porter, and no Body else; notwithstanding its being grafted on another Stock: it being impossible for all the Separation or Distance in the World to destroy the Truth of that Proposition: So that the Vital Spirit in the Part and the Whole not differing in Nature and Quality, by consequence the Vital Spirit being affected in the Porter, it was also at the same Mathematical instant of time affected in the infitious Nose, which altho' grafted on the Nobleman's Face was nevertheless still animated with the Vitality of the Porter of whom it was yet truly a Part: For which reason the Parts being affected by the destruction of the Whole, does not depend on any distance or determinate space of Place being not at all Local, but on the mutual Vitality, and therefore must be extended according to the reach of this Vitality wherefoever it is. So that the infitious Nose as animated at first, being still inform'd with the Vitality of the Porter; the Vitality in the Porter ceasing, the Vitality also of the Nose ceased: And consequently the Porter dying altho' at Bolognia, the Nose became a dead Nose even at Bruffels. But as Horace Says Amoto quaramus seria ludo: And therefore Paulo majora canamus. became all world adoptions



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HE Germen or Bud of a TOOTH in the Jaws of an Infant is at first a Macous thin fost slimy Pulp like the White of an Egg, contained in its Gell, which by degrees grows harder, till the Matter being throlly hardned breaks thro: which Perruption occasions many dreadful Symptoms to poor Infants.

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The time of Pretrusion for the Coming forth of this hardned Matter which compose the Teeth is very different: In some it is sooner, as in the 3d & 4th Month: In others not till the 6th or 7th Month: In many it is later as in the 8th or 9th Month: and in some not till they are a Year old, but this is not so frequent. In many Children the Cutting is very tedious, especially if the Eye-Teeth, & other Teeth happen

to Cas together. As for their order of Gutting, the Fere-Teeth are generally Cut first both above & below, the a middle ones first, & then those on each side which are 8 in all. Afterwards the Great Teeth wherein the chief danger lies.

The time of Cutting is also known by Infants purting their Fingers in their Mouths, & the Gum, being swell'd, & looking white, great pain afflicting them, with more then usual Cryings, Restables, Lookness, and oftentimes Convulsions, and Fevers.

The Cause of hard Breeding & Cutting of Teeth is sometimes in the Teeth themselves, being blunt and growing but slowly, whereby the Gums cut & open the more difficultly: So that always the sharper the Teeth are, the more exquisite & sensible is the Pain, but withal fuch Teeth Cut the foonest, which made Hippocrates in his 25th Aphorism blame the Eye-Teeth, as the Authors of worse Symptoms then any of the rest. Sometimes in the Gums when their substance is more folid & harder then usual, by which the Cutting being made the more difficult, by consequence great Pain is caused in them from the hardness of the Teeth pushing & thrusting on the Gums, being very sensible parts, even in Adult Perfons, & much more in young tender Infants. From whence an Inflammation arising with great pain and disturbance of the Spirits, a continual Fever is many times produced, whereby Acid Vapours ascending to the Original of the Nerves, & irritating them, Convulfions and other dismal Effects are caused.

If therefore the Teeth come forward but flowly, & the Gums are bard, swell'd, bot, & pain'd, all endeavours must be used to sistent the Gums & thereby to bring them out and give ease; amongst which nothing in the World exceeds the use of the hereafter mentioned Necklace, as in the next Chap. I shall clearly prove. As far the use of a Coral, so frequent in sashion for Children in this Condition, I have inche Princed Directions for wearing this Nocklace which are Given along with it clearly shewn, that it is so far from being beneficial, that it is even quite wrong to let any Children will cost about a Penny,) for Children to hold in their Hands to Nabble upon & Rub their Het Mouths and Gums with. For a Coral or any other such hard thing pressing so very much on the fire, sinder and instant's Gums, by reason of their extreme hardress, put the Children to a pain instead of that pleasure we suppose them to have in subbing with it their own Mouths and Gums, which consequently keeps them from rubbing and moderately pressing on their Gums with it so much and so stem as they aught to do: that by pressing it thus upon the Edge of the Teeth, the Gums might become in some measure as

it were Deadned and benumn'd, and thereby the Casting of the Testh less fels by the Child. Whereas the Thing that I have mentioned in the Directions, not being fo very hard as Coral, & yet hard enough for the end proposed, lusticiently presses on the Gams to help let the Testh out, & withat gives them a very sensible pleasure in rubbing their Gams with it, & by consequence excites them to so frequent a Use of it, as is necessary for the Testh's Custing. So that notwithstanding this Norther is worn by Children, yet the use of this Thing I have mentioned will still help the Testh's coming out: & will cost only about a Penny, & is to be bought in almost every street of London. Informach that by ONLY WEARING this NECKLACE according to the Directions Given along with it, Any Child will presently and out of hand Cut it's Testh, & thereby be rescued from the Grave, even after all other imaginable Endeavours used before proved ineffectual, and nothing but Desch hourly expected.

When therefore Children put frequently their Fingers or any thing else into their Mouths, endeavouring thereby to ease the Itching & Throbbing pain of their Gums: When they bite the Nurses Nipple: When there is an inward Heat in the Mouth, & a larger then usual Flux of Saliva, from the Pain's vellicating & contracting the Salivatory Dutts & Glands, by which a larger quantity then ordinary of Serum is squeesed & pressed out to the Mouth: When there is a Redness in the Cheeks, & Whiteness on the Gums, with frequent and unusual Cryings & Uncosmesses, you may Besure their Teeth are coming, & then is the time for them to Wear this Soverain Necklace.

Now as to the true Method of proceeding with a Child in this condition: Those means must be made use of, which are capable of their own Nature, to Open the Guras, for if once this be but done, the Teeth of themselves, which are continually pushing forward, will naturally come out: What therefore promotes this end, is to be enquired after; and then all the Concomitant & Subsequent Symptoms cease, & are prevented; according to that Principle in Philosophy, Take but away my Cause, and the Effett presently ceases. Since therefore all the Miseries and Evils which happen to Children in Breeding their Teeth proceed from this one cause of the Gums being hard and more then usually CLOSED; it follows by consequence that all our present Enquiry must Roul and depend upon this one point of Softning & OPENING them, it being an established Maxim in Physick as well as Morals, That All Contraries must be cured by their Contraries. So that if a means be but found out for this end, we have our defire: fearch therefore is to be made for some Remedy endowed with fuch Volatil Alcalious Particles, & Atoms, as are capable by their Imooth

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smooth and infinuating Figure and Shape, eafily and gently to glide and enter into the Pores of the fwell'd, inflam'd, and dilated Gums, and thereby to Loofen their ftrict Frame and Clofure, and so open them. For 'tisto no purpose to Go round about the Bufb, by making use of any Remedies in particular against the Fever, the Convulsions and other Symptoms attending the hard Breeding and Cutting of Childrens Testh, without one takes away the Cause by OPENING the Gums, as just now has been said & thereby strike at the Root of the Buil. Now for this End there is nothing in the whole World io proper as the NECKLACE here proposed, as I shall plainly shew in the following Chapter, especially fince Children are never very willing to take many Remedies inwardly. At least let the most timorous Person (as to Phyfick) be but convinced of this one Point, that it can do no harm. Since therefore no Danger but good can possibly follow from the Vearing it, No Person I think can reasonably object against it.

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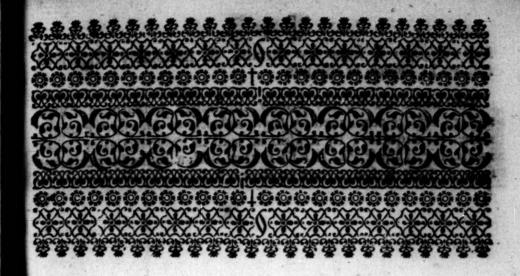
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#### CHAP. IV.

How according to the foregoing Principles this NECKLACE acts on Childrens QUMS and TEETH.



OME time ago I had a certain Necklases communicated to me by a Friend, with such a Character of its Virtues, as seem'd at first very Surprising. It had been used in private for many Years, with a constant Suces, in helping Children to Breed and easily Cut their Teeth: In giving an easy Time to Wemen in Labour: And curing Distempers of the

Head: All which it was faid to perform by Sympathy. Now this Term of Sympathy making Persons only as Wise as they were before, I began to think that it wou'd be no small satisfastion to those Persons who use it, if its Manner of Operation were more satisfastorily explicated according to the Principles of the

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New Philosophy & some sew certain, & inviolably established haxims in Physick, as follows.

For when we see any Remedy constantly perform a Cure, and it's Efficacy confirmed by Dayly Infrances of Success, we ought rather to enquire (by Reasons at least a Posteriors) after what manner it is most PROBABLE that such a Remedy performs such & such a Cure, then to Reject it.



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LL ailing distemper'd parts Naturally throw out, & exhale a prodigious Number of Acid Morbisck Atoms in a certain Sphere and Circle of Activity about the ailing part: So that the swell'd and Inslam'd Gums of Children that are Breeding and Cutting their TEETH, fill the Childs

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Mouth, with such a large Effluvium of those Aroms, that even the breath of the Child is loaded with them.

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These 2 Maxims being thus settled, we must now have recourse to our Law of Nature established above in the first Chap. According to which, Out of the Pores of this Necklace hanging about a Child's Neck, and thereby once throly warmed, there constantly flows such a vast Number of Atoms & Effluvias, from the prodigious quantity of Volatil Alcalious Anodyne Sulphur & Spirits, with which the matter it is made of abounds, that in a manner a real positive Atmosphere of them in Crowds and Swarms, like a Mist, is as visible about it, as of those Essuvias round a Load-stone, or a Bit of Amber-greece, by the help of those Nice Glasses which discover to us Swarms of Animals either in a Drop of Vinegar; or in a bit no bigger then a Pin's head of Corrupted Cheefe. Which Atoms flowing thus out of the Necklace wander all about the Neck & Head of the Child, where they presently meet join & unite themselves with the uneafy, restless, Morbifick Atoms of the inflam'd Gums dispers'd, scatter'd, & Blown about by the Breath of the Child. These Atoms meeting thus together, are presently drawn by the Sucion of the Air into the ailing part, which being swell'd & inflam'd, is by consequence dilated and distended, by which it's pores are more then usually open'd, & therefore more ready to receive whatever easing & comforting Atoms the Circumambient Air is loaded with.

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Now the Atoms which flow thus in such great quantities out of this Necklace, being Volatil Alcalies, are by consequence from their Smooth, Globalar, and Cylindrical Figure and Shape, to the highest degree Balfamick, Easing & Anadrae; and being thus by the Suction of the Air which the heated & inflam'd Game of the Child throw out, (as just now has been said) drawn into the Childs Mouth, by their smooth & inflantating Figure, they presently enter into the ALVEOLI or SOCKETS of the Game; & there Open those thin & most accurately sensible Membranes which include the Teeth; by which means the Game insensibly in a manner separate, open, & give way to their Cutting & so let the Teeth out. And if the Game are hard, fore, and actually inflamed, these Alcalious Atoms presently blunt, obtund & subdue those sharp, pungent, acid Atoms of the ailing part which cause These Disorders: by which means the Instammation & Pain almost instantly cease: the Game are fortned: the Mouth cooled: the Fover vanishes: Convalsions are prevented: & the Teeth do easily and pleasantly Cut. Insomuch, that the Essect will seem rather miraculous than Natural; so that in a Night's time a Child shall Cut those Teeth, whose Game before nothing but an Incision Knife cou'd open, & this without any the least Pain or violence at all to the Game; but much in the same manner as Gasta cavas lapidem, non vi, sed SEPE cadendo.

The manner therefore of acting of this Necklace is by way of a Removens Prohibens; that is, by Removing an Impediment, which being once taken away, the defired end will of it felf Naturally enfue: For fince the difficult Cutting of Childrens Teeth proceeds from the hard & strict Closure of their Gum: If you get Them but once separated & open'd, the Teeth will of themselves Naturally come Forth: Now the smooth Alcalious Atoms of the Necklace by their insinuating figure & shape, do so make way for their Protrusion by gently softning & opening the hard swell'd Gums, that the TEETH will of themselves without any difficulty or pain CUT and come out, as has been sufficiently proved,

But besides the External manner of Operation of Appended Remedies and by Consequence of this Necklace, just now mentioned, Mr. Bejle proposes another Internal One, to wit, that the Essurias exhaled out of any Remedy worn above the Neck enter into the Pores of the Body, and there mixing themselves with the Mass of Blood, are together with incarried to the asserted Part, at which being arrived they instantly relieve it. Now although this manner of Operation be proposed by this great Author, and in it self be very rational and just, yet unless it be more clearly explicated, I shall still leave my

Reader very much in the Dark. In order therefore to clear this Point, I shall propose the most rational and conceivable way of this Operation, that Anatomy and Reason furnish us with, as follows.

The Skin of a Human Body altho it feems an entire contimued Subitance, is nevertheless really perforated with a great Multitude of little Inlets, which we call Pores, as is sufficient. ly manifest from those numerous little Drops that cover all the Skin at the first Eruption of Sweat. And that these little Perforations may be Inlets to the finer particles of Externally Appended Medicines sufficiently appears from a great many Instances. For Example: The Subtile Particles of Quickille ver worn in a Girdle will enter the Pores of the Skin, and Cure the Itch, nay even sometimes will Salivare: The subtle Particles of Cantharides only carried in the Pocket will enter the Pores of the Skin, and violently affect the Bladder and Urine, in the same manner also several other Subtle Volatil Bodies will act. Now the Effluvia of these externally Appended Remedies having gained once Admittance thro the Pores of the Skin, 'tis not at all difficult to conceive how they may proceed farther. For according to Anatomy underneath the Cuticula or Scarf Skin, and close to it, there are so great a multitude of fine Capillary Vessels, that one can scarce thrust a small Pin into any part, but that the point of it will meet with and Tear some of these little Vessels, as will appear by a small Drop of Blood, that will presently issue out. Now these minute Vessels as small as they are, having their Cavities immediately continued with those of less slender ones, and by the intervention of these less slender ones, with the Cavities of those greater Vessels which are Branches of the greatest of all: The Effluvia and lubtle Particles of this Necklace once got into the Capillary Vessels may have an easy passage by means of the Liquors and Juices they contain into these greater Branches of the principal Veins, and thereby become quickly mingled with the Mass of Blood, which circulating thro the whole Body, easily convey these Effluvias and subtile Particles to the ailing and affected Part, by a peculiar Specifick Influence and Tendency they bare towards that part rather then any other. And to shew the reasonableness of what I have here alledged, I'll make use of only one Example of Cantharides or Spanish Flies carried in the Pocket, or held sometime in the Hand, whose Effluvia being entered thro the Pores of the Skin, and according to the manner just explicated, carried about the Body, by an innate Specifick Tendency they bear towards the Uninary Vessels rather then any other parts of the Body whatfoever, they stay and stick there rather then any where elie.

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Besides it seems very probable that the subtle Particles and Corpuscules of an Appended Remedy may at much more powerfully and perform much greater Cures by getting in at the Pores of the Skin, then if the Remedy that afforded them had been taken in at the Mouth: The Reason of this is: That if it had been taken in at the Mouth, the Particles by the Ferment of the several Digestions of the Stomach, and their Filitration thro the several passages and windings of the Intestines might be so altered, and weakned as to have not near so much effect when they arrive at the feat of the Disease: And consequently lose a great deal of their Virtue before ever they arrive at the Blood. Whereas the Corpufeles and fubtle Effluvias being entered into the Body thro the Skin, presently get into the Capillary Vessels of the Blood that lie under it, and by their means are speedily mixed with the Circulating Mass, and so by escaping the abovementioned Alterations that other Medicines are subject to before ever they can be admitted into the Mass of Blood, are thereby rendered much more efficaciousthen otherwise they could possibly be. The Reason is: That fuch Effluvias always operate with more Vigour and Force, as being more immediately and readily conveyed to the feat it felf of the Disease, without passing thro those several Digestions in the Stomach and other Parts, which oftentims much weakens the Virtues of Medicines taken into the Stomach, before ever they can reach the Distempered Part.

These therefore are the ways proposed by Authors by which Appended Remedies operate, and by consequence are the ways by which this Celebrated Necklace has of late performed so many great and surprising Cures.

The reasonableness of these Methods of Cure may be confirmed by several Examples: As that memorable one of Galen him self, who in his sixth Book of the Virtues of simple Medicines, says, that he often cured Children of the Falling-Sickness, only by a NECKLACE of Peony Roots Hung about their Necks: And altho' he lived in an Age that saw no farther than Occult Qualities, yet he attributes it to the Particles slowing from the Necklace, PARTES A RADICE DEFLUENTES, affector its Curare. are his own Words. Since therefore this great Man cou'd say so much in those ignorant Peripatetical Times wherein he lived, what would he have said, had he liv'd in the clear-sighted Age we are now in? And Mr. Culpepper tells us of one of his own Children that cut three Teeth presently after a certain

min Necklace was hung about its Neck. And another, he fays, was instantly eased of the Tooth-ach, by the same Necklace also only hung about its Neck. Dr Sydenham, Senertus, Riverius, Willis, Bates, and several other Physicians, all agree in the same Opinion, to wit: That this very same Necklace only Hung a-bout a Child's Neck; will almost miraculously help its Teeth to cut; altho at Death's Door before; & when they come to give a Reason forit, they give the very same that Galen did for bis Necklace for the Falling-Sickness: viz. that the Atoms & Effluvia's of The Necklace hung about the Neck act upon the Child's Gums and so let the Teeth out. The very same I say of this Necklace. Since therefore these just now mention'd Great Men placed such Confidence in Their Necklaces, from the very same Reasons that I here propose This; I cannot but value this still the more, especially since tis made of a Matter having all the Qualities for a Teeth-cutting Necklace, which They prefumed to be in theirs being made of the very same Matter these Learned Authors give fuch large Encominums, and commendations of.

'Tis no new Remedy: Necklaces of this Nature may be traced up to very ancient Authors, who certainly wou'd never have so considently asserted in their Writings, that the bare Wearing only a thing about one's Neck wou'd have such & such Essects, if they had not been fully convinced of the Essect of those Atoms, & Essection Essection of the Essect of those Atoms, & Essection Essection of What would not an afflicted distressed, & despairing Parent give, to ease an Infant that lies almost expiring with Pain? What Charges, Expences & Fees, are not profusely (if I may say so) laid out in this Case? Try therefore this Necklace, which not only by the recommendation of one Friend to another, for many Years in Private, has saved many a Child's Life, by causing the Teeth easily & pleasantly to Cut; but even since This Book has been Published, has given entire Satisfaction to those great Numbers that have bought it.

And for a closer Proof of what has been here afferted, I'll add, That if by interrupting the Action of any Cause, I alter, retard, or hinder its effect, I may boldly conclude that such a Cause was the only true Cause of the Effect, and no other. If therefore one of these Necklaces are sewed up in a Cloth, & so hung about the Neck, it will have no effect at all; which is an evident proof that its Virtue lies in subtle Atoms & Effluvias, which flow out from it, and which the Cloth keeps in.

All which may be yet confirm'd still farther by an Experiment made before the Royal Society at Gresham College, & mentioned in the Philosophical Transactions of the Society, No. 308,

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upon the Electricity of Amber, Jet, Glafs, & other fuch Bodies produceable by a fmart Attrition of them: & which Electrical Attraction was entirely hindred in the presence of the whole Society by the interpolition only of a peice of fine Lown or Mus-lin between the Bodies heated by rubbing, & the Bodies to be attracted: From whence it evidently appears that the Attraction is perform'd by Atoms and Effluvias exhaled out of the Electrick Bodies, and which the Lawn or Muslin kept in.

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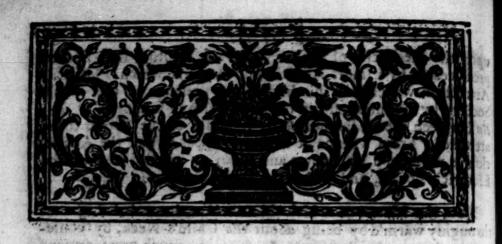
Now the Matter of which this Necklace is made being once throughly warm'd by being about the Child's Neck, by confequence throws out it's Effluvias & Atoms in a much greater quantity, then if it were entirely cold, it's Pores being thereby more open'd, & it's Atoms more rarified, which gives them still a great fubtility & activity then they wou'd have without this adventitious Heat: & by this means they bear such a Tendency to Amy ailing part, like those of the Load Stone to Iron, that they will never leave offacting till they have given ease: & consequently is a Thing the most Capable to Cure Sympathetically the Diseases of a Human Body of any thing in the whole World; There not being its Fellow in Art or Nature to be found for the end 'tis here proposed for.

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are actually breeding them, to make the Sockets open, that they may Cut & come out easily. Let them wear it after their Teeth are all come to fasten them, & strengthen their Gums.

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Let them wear it whilft they shed their Teeth, to make the new ones at the Roots of the old ones push and advance the better forwards, to drive the others out : And let all Persons who either actually have, or are fubject to the Tooth-ach wear it, that its Alcalione Effevia's may blunt those sharp and pungent Atoms, which enflame the thin sensible Membrane that surrounds the Marrow of the Tooth, & causes the Pain.

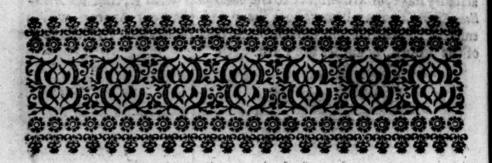


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HAT this Necklace helps also any illness in any

part belonging to the Head : Because the healing Alcalious Atoms which constantly flow from the Necklace, will join & unite themselves with the ailing Atoms of any diftemper'd part they meet with; and enter together with them into those ailing parts, and thereby give ease: Infomuch that Persons who are accustomed to have Red, Sore, or, Weak Eyes, the Tooth-ach, Vapours, Fits; Head-achs, A fore Threat, or Hoarfness, Hardness of Hearing, Cramps, Palsies Apoplexies, Compulsions, &c. can have no Safer, Prettier, Easier, and Innocenter a Remedy, then to wear one of these Necklaces; which according to the abovesaid Principles act Rationally and Physically, and confequently by no manner of Superstition or Charm in the World: This Necklace therefore, although principally a Remedy for Childrens Teeth, yet 'tis also of excellent Use in all the other just now-mentioned Cafes: And the Reason is, because the Atoms of the Necklace act on the Aroms of whatever ailing Part they meet with; for that if a Child should have Sore Eyes, Convulsions, a Thrush, or a Smell'd Face, as well as hard Breeding of Teeth, this Necklace, according to the above-establish'd Principles, will Rationally and Physically help them all.



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HAT this Necklace also, besides these just-now-mentioned Effects; will give to Women in Labour, that Wear it (as Dr. Chamberlen expressly advises,) such an extraordinary Easy Time, that they will not suffer near so much Pain, that they wou'd without it: for from the insunating Figure of its Alcalious Atoms and Effectia's, the same Reasons prove that it will act in regard to their Delivery, as it does to let the Teeth out of the lockt-up Gums of Children. The Reasonableness of this appears from Things that have a quite

sons prove that it will act in regard to their Delivery, as it does to let the Teeth out of the lockt-up Gums of Children. The Reasonableness of this appears from Things that have a quite contrary Effect, as all Precious Stones and Gems, especially Diamonds, whether in Rings, the Ears, or elfewhere; which for that Reason Dr Chamberlen advises to be removed as far as may be from a Woman in Labour; because says he, by their Astringent and Repelling Atoms, they hinder Delivery: By the same Argument this Necklace by it's Opening & Attracting Atems will help it: fo that any Woman in Labour that wears this Necklace, will almost to a wonder be ensily, presently, and Sufely Delivered. For which reason Dr Chamberlen, on the 19th of Nov. 1715, express'd himself to me in these words. I defire (faid he to me) that you will let the World know from ME, and in MY Name, that I expressly advise the Wearing of this Necklace to all Women in Labour : To all Children for their Teeth: And to all Persons that have any Ailment in any part belonging to their Head, and therefore I wish that all such Persons would mear it. For (faid he) I my felf for many Years have used of the mery same Matter of which this Necklace is made, for these very same ands, and always with Success. Therefore if I MY SELF were Present, I wou'd be the first Person that should Put it about their Necks: For of all the things that I know in the whole World, there is nothing that can come near this Necklace for these ends. These were exactly the Drs own words to me in his Closet. The Truth of which he has been pleased himself often since to testifie to several who have enquired of him about it. So that any Person that uses this Necklace, does nothing less then follow the Great Dr Chamberlen's express advice, which no one can refuse in the above-mentioned Cases, of Women in Labour, and for Children. And to shew still farther the possibility of a Remedy HUNG only about the NECK to assist a Woman in Labour, Mr. Boyle in his 5th Essay of Experimental Natural Philosophy cites Van Helmont who in several Places of his Writings speaks of an Appended Remedy he used to prescribe to Women in Travail which had kept multitudes from Dying in hard Labour.

A Vast Many of these Necklaces are daily fold, (being now used in great Numbers of Families with a constant success) & not so much as any ONE Person ever yet made the least Objettion against them: which to be sure some Peevish Person or other would not have failed to have done, if they could but have found the least Room for any Flaw or Complaint in it. But on the contrary Persons continually magnific it's Virtues, and express their abundant farisfaction in the Use of it all agreeing in this one point; that they wou'd not for my Thing but have had it; And indeed fince it has frequently appeared by the Bills of Mortality that in and about London (the same may be said of Paris or any other great City) above 1 2000 Children have Yearly Died of their Teeth, and Convultions and Feavers caused thereby, no Family ought to be without it: For the great Numbers of Children who have Worn this Necklace have not only Bred, and Cut their Teeth without any Pain, and all the while thrived extreamly; But even Multitudes have of late been retrieved by it from the Jams of Death in a Nights time, after all Hopes were past, to the aftenishmens of all People, The Property of This Necklace being immediately after it is Put about the Neck, to take off all Symptoms as Feavers, Fitt, Convultime, Leofnels, Burnings, Ort. beyond expediation. Infomuch that fince this Fam'd Necklace has been Published, The Bills of Mortality have so Decreased, as to be less than ever they have been known to be before. More Children Dying of their Teeth then of all other Di-Stempers put together whatfoever about him has it wishes of was tree for the field had a my felf for many Tours have

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But what still adds infinitely more to even the Honour & Credit, as well as Value of this Great Necklace, then all that has been said of it, is: That Dr Chamberlen not only almost daily sends great Numbers of Persons of His Acquaintance to Buy it, but also constantly, himself Wears one of these Necklaces on each Leg by way of Garters for the Cramp, which for many Years before he wore them, he was sorely afflisted with, as he is pleased to declare in his large Approbation of this Necklace incerted above in this Book in the beginning, which I desire my Reader to turn to. All which to be sure he wou'd never do, if he was not fully convinced of it's Virtues.

Let therefore no one rashly despise this Method of Cure, till they have unsuccessfully tried it, but rather esteem it, as a Pretty, Easy, and Sase one: Especially since we see that Nature abounds with much greater Wonders: As for Example The LOAD STONE, whose Esset on Iron altho Visible to our Eyes, has nevertheless so Puzled even the most Learned and Nicest Naturalists clearly to explicate, that is it were not Evident to our Senses, no one wou'd ever believe it. What Wonder then is it, that the same Fertile Nature should furnish us with such A NECKLACE as is here proposed?

MATTER OF FACT is as Evidently Here present in the Esset of this Necklass, to convince us of the wonderful Nature of it, as it is in the Esset of The Load Stone; Let us make use of it with Gratitude to the Great Author of Nature, and Adore with St. Paul, The Depth of the Wildon, and Knowladse of Almighey God, who has Greated such Wonders for the Benefit & Use of Man.



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HIS NECKLACE which is very Light, not weighing more then a few Pepper-corns, & consequently fit for Children, is not at all Unbandsome for even Any Perform to Wear, [being Neatly made of a certain Spiritum, Sulphurenu Matter, filled & replete with Alcalinu Atoms & Effuvias, so loaded with Volstil, Anodyne, Sulphur and Spirits, that nothing can compare with it for the end proposed, and is a particular Secret known to None but the Author,] is to be had ONLY At the four following Places,

At Mrs. Garway's at the Royal Exchange Gate next Cornbill.

At Mr. Cooper's the Great Toy Shop the Corner of Charles-Court by Hungerford-Market in the Strand.

At the Golden-Key a Milleners Shop over against the Kings-Arms Tavern in King-street, Westminster.

And Up One Pair of Stairs at the Sign of Dr. Chamberlen's Necklace, next to the Rose Tavern without Temple-Bar, and at no other Place whatsoever.

Price 3 s. with Printed Directions for Wearing it, in English, French, &c. for the use and benefit of all Forreign Families. Being the Neatest, Prettiest, and Compleatest PHYSICAL NECKLACE ever yet Published. And is the Only One that ever Dr. Chamberles Recommended: Therefore beware of Sham Counterfeits, from Persons who live by Counterseiting and Pyrating other Mens Secrets.

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THE Bends of this NECKLACE are not Great Redish ones, but Small like Barley Corns, and made of a Grayish Matter, and Printed Directions along with it in the just now mentioned Languages: By all which Marks it may easily be distinguished from any other false Necklace. Therefore if you have a Mind to have the RIGHT one, Send only to The Four abovementioned Places for it, for no other Place has it.



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HIS Fam'd NECKLACE is the Propereft Thing in the World, not only for A NEW YEARS GIFT, for all God-Fathers, God-Mothers, Relations, Friends, and Acquaintance to Give to Children and Others at that Time: But even for a PRESENT, for any Relation or Acquaintance to Give to their Friends at any time of the Year.

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#### CHAP. VI.

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Some Few Instances of the Success of this NECKLACE.



R. Penny and his Lady at their House next Door to an Apothecaries in Kingstreet, St. James's, are pleased to give leave, that the World may know by the Publication hereof, that by only Putting (upon Dr. Chamberlen's Recommendati-

on) about their Child's Neck, (being the only Son they have left out of Sixteen Children) this Celebrated NECK-LACE, it has now Cut several of its Teeth, being Nine Months old, and never has had any Illness, Uneasiness, or Pain at all During the whole time, but has Cut them without so much as ONE CRY; and not only this, but all

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the time has so Thrived, and been so Healthy and Well that a delicater finer Child Eyes never beheld; as any Perfon that pleases may be there fully satisfied of: The Lady having given Leave that any one may see the Child.

September 12. 1716.

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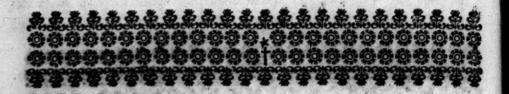


HE Child of Mrs. Parkes (one of those People call'd Quaker's) a Cabinet-Maker in Princes-street, behind St. Ann's Church, Soho, haveing been so extreamly ill by the very hard Breeding and Cutting of it's TEETH, and thereby thrown into such a violent Fever, that it's Life

was despaired of. We sent for That NECKLACE which Dr. Chamberlen speaks so very well of, and Put it about it's Neck: By which it almost instantly recovered: The Fever left it: It's Great Teeth Cut without any more Fever or Pain at all, and it has ever since Thrived extreamly, as any Friend shall be there farther fully satisfied of by seeing our Child.

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HE Child of Mr. Norris (the Player) at the Black Perrewig against Brownlow-street-end in Drury-Lane, from its Birth having been always so very sickly and ailing, that when the u-

Jual time of Breeding and Cutting of its TEETH came, it was thereby thrown into Juch a violent Fever, as to be in great danger of its Life. Upon which this NECKLACE was immediately sent for, and Put about its Neck: Whereby the Fever presently left it; and soon after it Cut two Teeth, with all the ease imaginable, and now continues well, and thrives more and more every Day: Being, from a poor, weak, sikly, ailing Infant, now a Brisk, Healthy, Lovely Child, to the Admiration of all who know it.

Mr. Norris has given Leave that this may be published, and the Child seen by any one for the Good of others.

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Enquire of Mrs. Lloyd at the Old Victualing Office Coffee-House on Tower-Hill.

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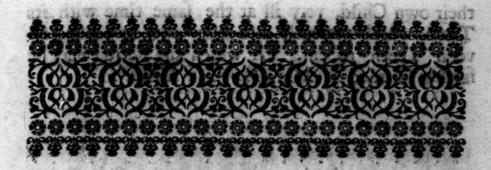


HE Child of Mr. Baker next to Bull-Inn-Court in the Strand, having been extreamly Worn away by Fits and a high Fever, all caufed by the very hard Breeding and Cutting of its Teeth. Upon Dr. Chamberlen's Recom-

mendation This Necklace was sent for, and Put about its Neck; upon which the Fever and Fits soon left it, and newer returned again: Its Teeth Cut out of hand without any Pain or Uneafiness at all, and the Child has ever since thriwed extreamly, of which any Person may be there further satisfied of by seeing the Child.



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Child of Mr. Fosket's, at Mr. Reynolds's the great Worsted Shop, the Corner f Petticoat-Lane in Artillery-Lane, having had a violent Fever, occupion d by the hard Breeding and Cutting of its Teeth; this NECKLACE was sent for, and presently Put about its Neck: It had not worn it above half an Hour,

but the Fever left it; and in an Hours time it was so well, that it was for playing about the House, and presently Cut two Teeth without any Pain or Uneasiness at all.

The Truth of which any one may be fully satisfied of at Mr. Reynolds's above-mention'd.

October 30. 1716.

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Upon this Success of the Necklace, (Mr. Fosket's Child being at Nurse at Hackney) the Parents of another Child with the same Nurse, sent for one for their own Child, very ill at the same time with its Teeth, which presently also relieved it, by causing several Teeth to cut. Of which any Person may be farther satisfied at Mrs. Shoare's in Hackney.



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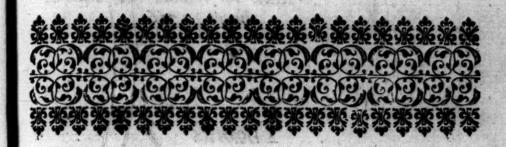
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E Thomas and Elizabeth Griffiths, who keep the Great Old News-shop, against the Blew Post and Rummer at Charing Cross, do hereby Testissie that by only Putting about our Child's Neck, at three Month's Old the Celebrated NECK-LAGE Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen

for Childrens TEETH, it has now Cut most of its Teeth, being near a Year Old: And never has had any Fever, Convulsions, Pains, or other such usual Illnesses and Uneasiness, which commonly attend Children in Breeding and Cutting their Teeth: But has all this time (notwithstanding it has Bred and Cut so many Teeth) so thrived and has all along been so Healthy and Well, that perhaps all England cannot shew a Lustier, Healthier, Brisker, Braver, Merrier, and Fincr Boy, as any Person that pleases D A

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may be satisfied of, who will but give themselves the Trouble to come or send any one to see the Child.

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John Powel, Shoemaker, and Frances Powel, my Wife, next Door to Mr. Biggs, in Bowl-Yard, in St. Giles's in the Fields (in which Parish we have lived above twenty Tears) do hereby Testifie, that having had Five Children, they all died of their Teeth but one, which late-

ly, by a violent Fever and Loofness, caused by its Teeth, was brought so low that it looked lik a mere Skeleton; but at last I was advised to a Famon NECKLACE Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen, which I had no sooner Put about its Neck, but the Child seemed sensibly to mend, and presently Cut a Tooth, and in a Day or two's time it Cut two more without any Pain or Fever at all: And at the time of Signing this Certificate is about Cutting another,

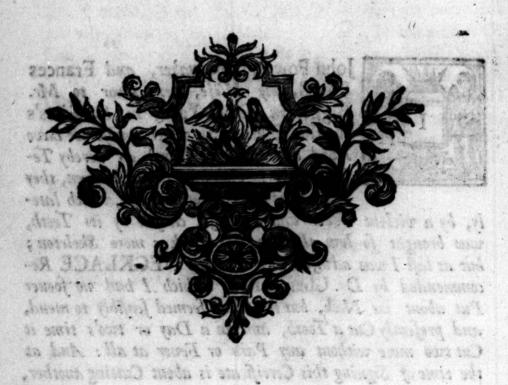
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and is now in as good Health, and become as fine and lufty a Child as ever he was before this Illness, as any one that pleases may see.

Witness our Hands this 20th of July. 1716.

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Katherine Folkes, at Mr. Pearsons, next Door but two to Justice Rotheram's in Dyot-street, St. Giles's, do hereby testifie, that my Child being so very ill with hard Breeding and Cutting its Teeth, attended with a continual Cough and burning

Fits, that I despaired of its Life: but by only wearing a little time the Famous NECKLACE for Childrens Teeth, Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen, it presently Cut its Teeth without any Pain, and is now entirely recover'd and well, and from a poor, wasted, and sickly Insant, is (thanks be to God) become a strong, lusty, healthful Child, as any one that pleases may see.

Witness my Hand this 3d of July, 1716.

Katherine Folkes.



Child of the Japaner's in Token-house-Yard in Leadenhall-street, being so wasted away with Sickness, and withall in such Danger from wery bard Breeding and Cutting its Teeth, that every one despaired of its Life; by only wearing some little time this Necklace, it presently Gut three Teeth without any Pain, and from a poor, weak, sickly pining Infant, became a lusty, brave, bealthy, strong Child, as any one that pleases may be there farther certify d of by seeing the Child.

Nov. 1. 1716.

Which prodigious Alteration wrought on this Child, evidently proves the wonderful Effects of this Sovereign Necklace, whose Nature is such, that any Person might safely lay an equal Wager, on its having the very same Effect on 18 or 19 Children out of Twenty.







Testissie my Child was so troubled with Fits from the very hard Breeding and Cutting of its Teeth, that its Life was despaired of; but by only wearing of the Celebrated NECKLACE. Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen for Chil-

drens Teeth, it presently recovered, and is now as well as ever it was in its Life, never having had so much as ONE Fit after the Necklace was Put about its Neck, and has worn it now about three Months. This I am willing should be published for the Good of other Children.

October 3d. 1716.

Job Hodkinson, Gardiner, at the Flower-Pot, near the Royal Oak, in the lower Street, Islington.





Young Gentlewoman who almost from her Infancy had such Sore Weak Eyes, that she cou'd hardly look at, or hear the Light: by wearing only this NECKLACE has her Eyes now so strengthened, as to read the smallest Print, which she could never do before.

The Person that disposes of this NECK-LACE, will direct any one to the Gentlewoman.



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Gentleman's Child lately almost at Death's Door with hard Breeding and Cutting its Teeth: A certain Person of Quality (whose Child but just before had Cuts its Teeth by it) advised the use of this Necklace: By which its Teeth presently Cut with little or no Pain.

Any Person may be farther satisfied of this, of Mrs. Royce next to the Crown-Ale-House in Cranburn-Alley near Leicester-Fields,



I could here reckon up great Numbers of other fuch undeniable Instances of Cures (I might say Wonders) perform'd by this Necklace, on Men, Women, and Children, but I'll refer my Reader to the Publick Prints, in which almost daily Testimonies and Certificates of Cures performed by it, are and of late Years have been publickly Advertised: Hoping that from thence, as well as from what has been here advanced throughout this Little Essay, my Reader will together with me be throly convinced and fatisfied, of the great Virtue and Efficacy of this Admirable NECKLACE. If therefore these Unconte-Hible Instances of its Success, joined with the foregoing Reasons for its real Virtue, and manner of Operation, out of the abovementioned Learned Authors, are not sufficient or satisfactory to any, I doubt it is only to fuch as have no mind to be fatisfied at all. And as none are so Blind as those that will not See: so none are more difficult of Belief then those who are resolved not to be Convinced.

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The abovementioned Success of this Necklace some time since put a certain Person upon Counterfeiting it, even under Dr. Chamberlen's Name. Upon which the Doctor was pleased to publish the following Advertisement in the Publick Prints.

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LIKE it.) I hereby declare to the World,
that I know nothing of it, nor its Author, who pretends to Decry, what nevertheless he tries to Counterfeit. I do not deny but that I have for some
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the World that most Admirable NECKLACE for Children's Teeth, &c. Sold at the Sign of the Necklace without Temple-Bar, &c. Which I know from my Experience of it, to be a most Excellent Thing, and worth any ones having for the End 'tis proposed, for which Reason I Recommend to every ones serious perusal That most Excellent little ESSAY which the Ingenious Author has writ upon it. But if any other Necklace (besides this, which is the ONLY one that I Recommend, and is a most valuable Secret, known to none but the Author, notwithstanding others pretend to know what it is made of, but they are mistaken. If, I say, any other Necklace, under pretence of being either like this, or the same with it, is at any time under my Name Published by Persons who live by Pyrating and Counterfeiting other Men's Secrets, it is an Imposition upon me and the World. Therefore I hereby Caution all Persons to beware of such Counterfeits.

From my House in Great Suffolk Street, near the Hay-Market, Mar. 22. 1717.

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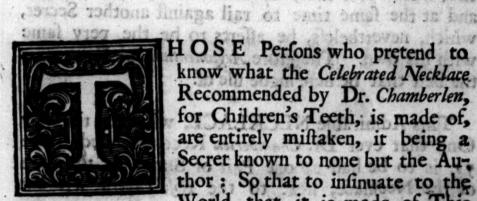
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Paul Chamberlen. M. D.



The same Person still persisting to Counterfeit this Necklace in Opposition to Dr. Chamberlen, the following Advertisement was frequently inserted in the Publick Prints, to clear the Dr. of some malicious Aspersions unjustly cast upon that would ever take to discover his own S. mid



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HOSE Persons who pretend to know what the Celebrated Necklace Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen, for Children's Teeth, is made of, are entirely mistaken, it being a Secret known to none but the Author: So that to infinuate to the World, that it is made of This

or That particular Matter, to Decry it is a Notion so inconsistent with the Art of Physick, which disdains not daily to make use of the Meanest Things for the Health of Man) that no Physician ever yet harboured it yet. For if Health be but obtained, 'tis no matter by what Means: Nay, on the contrary, if a small inconsiderable Thing Cures any Distemper, it ought to be the more Prized. But if this Necklace Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen, be so very infignificant, as it is endeavour'd to be represented; Why do some Persons Counterfeit it? And assert, that

they dispose of the VERY SAME, and yet, at the same time tail against it. And as for the ill Success attributed to this Necklace, if any Person will but give themselves the Trouble to enquire the Truth of the Matter of Dr. Chamberlen himfelf, at his House in Great Suffolk-ftreet: He will (only in Justice to Truth, and out of no Motive at all of any Gain or Profit by it) fully fatisfie them of the daily Success of it, on great Numbers of Children, who Breed and Cut their Reeth eafily, and without any Pain, by the Use of it. But, at least, our Imitator is so generous to the World, as to tell us what his Necklace is made of for he afferts they are both the same, and according to Logicians, Que sunt eadem Uni tertio, must of Necessity be Eadem inter se. A way certainly no wife Author would ever take, to discover his own Secrets, and at the same time to rail against another Secret, which, nevertheless, he afferts to be the very same with his own. Therefore Argumentum ad Hominem is the best that be here made use of.

This Admirable NECKLACE, which is the only One that ever Dr. Chamberlen Recommended, Price 5. is to be had up one Pair of Stairs at the Sign of the Necklace, next to the Rose Tavera without Temple-Bar,

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Trading Abroad to the East or West Indies, Turkey, Africa, The South Sea, or elsewhere, will take of these Soverain ANODYNE NECK-LACES, which (are a particular Secret known to NONE, but the Author; and) now Sell and have done for these several Years last past extraordinary well, not only here in London, where the Call for them increases every Day, but also Abroad, being in great Esteem and Reputation not only throughout both Parts of Great Britain, Ireland, and most of our Plantations, (great Quantities having of late been exported by Merchants, Captains of Ships and others)

thers) But also are now very much esteem'd in France, Holland, Germany, and several other Countries and Courts of Europe, being continually sent for thither to the entire satisfaction of all those who use em: They shall have room for very large Profit at the Sign of the Necklace without Temple-Bar, abovementioned, (which is the only Place of the Four for Wholesale.)



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HOSE Persons who go to Mrs. Garway's at the Royal Exchange-Gate to Buy this NECKLACE, are desired to Ask expressly for The Anodyne Necklace that is Recommended by Dr. Chamberlen, which is Sealed

up in a little Round Red Box, with the Print of the Necklace curiously Engraved upon it, to prevent Mistaking (instead of it) A Great Redish Necklace, Made of a Root, which is Sold at her Shop.



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